

07-16-09

jfw Rce



S/N 10/532975

PATENTIN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: MITANI, et al. Examiner: Bertagna, A.M.  
 Serial No.: 10/532975 Group Art Unit: 1637  
 Filed: April 28, 2005 Docket No.: 20078.0005USWO  
 Title: PROCESS FOR AMPLIFYING NUCLEIC ACIDS

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.10

Express Mail mailing label number: EM 112401220 US

Date of Deposit: July 15, 2009

I hereby certify that the papers listed below are being deposited with the United States Postal Service Express Mail Post Office to Addressee service under 37 C.F.R. 1.10 in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

By: 

Name: Stephanie Samuel

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114

Mail Stop RCE  
 Commissioner for Patents  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

It is respectfully requested that this application be accorded the benefits of Continued Examination in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.114.

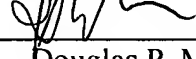
A submission meeting the requirements of 37 C.F.R. 1.111 accompanies this paper.

Please charge the required filing fee of \$810 for a large entity to the Deposit Account No. 50-3478. Please charge any additional fee or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-3478.

Respectfully submitted,

HAMRE, SCHUMANN, MUELLER &  
 LARSON, P.C.  
 P.O. Box 2902  
 Minneapolis, MN 55402  
 (612) 455-3800

Dated: July 15, 2009

By:   
 Douglas P. Mueller  
 Reg. No. 30,300

DPM/pjk

07/16/2009 EEKUBAY1 00000014 503478 10532975

01 FC:1801

810.00 DA

**52835**

PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE